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DEATH LOOMS IN THE SHADE OF PHARAOH'S SHADOW

A NOVEL BY TASHA MADISON

Book Summary



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Paperback ISBN: 978-164746-242-0

Paperback Price: \$14.99

Length: 307 pages

How do you kill a king? First, you start with the queen ...

Jealousy. Greed. Power. Deception. Murder. The beginning of the end of a golden empire.

When family drama threatens to unseat the rightful heir, palace intrigues rouse a conspiracy to commit murder. Entangled in mystery and life-or-death power plays, this novel unveils the burdens of a hero king secretly despised for his own colossal achievements.

What happens when political schemes go too far? Blind loyalty may prove fatal if family secrets jeopardize the harmonious balance of an entire kingdom.

When the tenacious grit of agitators to the throne unite with the powerful persuasion of a queen, anything can happen.

Will revenge or righteous justice rule in the end?

Praise

"Tasha Madison takes readers on an unexpected, harrowing journey in the ancient world of wealth, power, and prestige. The quest for survival leads to wicked plans and half-truths."

—Kary Oberbrunner, author of *Elixir Project* and *Your Secret Name*

"Dive into a land filled with vibrancy and passion, danger and excitement. Madison's knowledge of ancient Egypt will leave you breathless."

—Nancy Huber, author of *Days of Fire* and *Kingdom of Eternity*

"Tasha Madison has unraveled the secrets surrounding the life of Ramesses III. She based her exciting novel on historical facts, enabling us all to relive this great period in time. Through her writing, we are able to discover the true plot of his life after 3,000 years. I recommend that everyone read Tasha's story of this great king and enjoy the details of Ramesses III's dramatic life."

—Dr. Zahi Hawass, Archaeologist and former Egyptian Minister of Antiquities (FOREWORD)

"People never change—5,000 years ago or today. They always want what they do not deserve or do not have. Murder is as old as history itself. The conspiracy to kill pharaoh awakens the forgotten past and a thirst to save a golden empire. Madison paints an elaborate picture of ancient Egypt and the hunt to save a warrior king that I thoroughly enjoyed."

—Ramy Romany, Egyptologist and EMMY® Award-Winning Cinematographer

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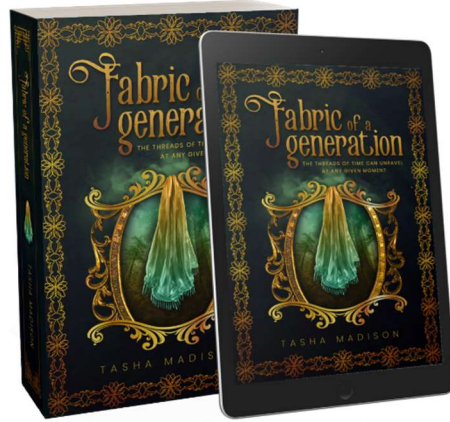


Interview Questions

1. How did you find out you were related to Ramesses III?
2. What is unique about *Pharaoh's Shadow*?
3. How does *Pharaoh's Shadow* differ from other historical fiction novels?
4. This book tackles the complex family dynamics of a royal family in ancient Egypt. Tell us more.
5. How do you balance historical facts against creative storytelling?
6. You told each chapter from a different point of view. Why did you choose to do that?
7. Who is Ramesses III? Why is he important?
8. Do you strive to educate readers with your book? How?
9. What was the most challenging process of writing this story?
10. Where do you see this book going? (Trilogy? Movie?)

Fabric of a generation

THE THREADS OF TIME CAN UNRAVEL
AT ANY GIVEN MOMENT.



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Release Date: August 31, 2019

Paperback ISBN: 978-164085-667-7

Paperback Price: \$16.99

Length: 326 pages

For one teen, life's greatest adventure isn't time travel but finding a way back home ...

Miranda dreams of disappearing. That and torturing her younger brainiac of a brother. To sidestep the risk of personal vulnerability (and her much-hated history class), she plays soccer or skips school by escaping to her favorite magic shop whenever she gets the chance.

As her truancy creates a rift between her ambitious TV producer mother and misunderstood stay-at-home dad, Miranda begins to covet the unknown destiny of strangers and questions whether she will ever have one of her own worth living.

Miranda's relationships are laced with the strychnine of blame, envy, and doubt. So, when she finds a mystical shawl in the attic, she thinks all her dreams have come true! Her discovery initiates a free fall through time. As she navigates through the hilarious, treacherous, and heartbreaking road to maturity, the strained relationship between her and her mother ignites a troubled path to selflessness and compassion.

Can she use her present circumstances to help redeem herself from her past mistakes? If Miranda cannot find her way back home, she might be forever stuck in time.

Anyone seeking a coming-of-age tale with an addicting family saga that explores life lessons on money, love, and relationships will enjoy the rabbit-hole adventures of this book.

Praise from Readers

"... humorous and witty."

"... enjoyed it from the start to finish."

"I love the complexity of the characters ... Tasha has a writing style that brings to life what you're reading!"

"If you are looking for a book that you and your teen can read, this one is it. We were able to have many conversations that stemmed out of the story and characters that would have never happened if we weren't reading this book at the same time. What a gift!"

"What a breath of fresh air in YA fiction! I was hooked just by reading the synopsis and sample, and ordered the book immediately! That's my kind of fascinating story!"

"I got the book delivered on Friday, and I spent the whole weekend with my nose glued to the book. I loved it. I highly recommend reading this book. I haven't been engrossed in a book since the Twilight series."

"YA fantasy is my passion, and Tasha Madison has the gift. Time travel makes it a great adventure, but the message makes it meaningful enough to change your heart. This is great for all ages."

"I thoroughly enjoyed this historical fiction YA book. The author has a gift for vivid detail. I'm excited to read her next book ... Pharaoh's Shadow!"

"This is one of those set a timer unless you can read the whole thing kind of book. It will draw you in, and you'll be hard pressed to put it down. Well told, vivid word pictures, and relatable. Thank you for transporting us with your writing, Tasha. Well done."

"I applaud the talented author ... Many events, emotions, and conversations are so relatable today and not only to young adults. As a retired educator, Fabric of a Generation, would have definitely been my top pick for our semester reading group program."

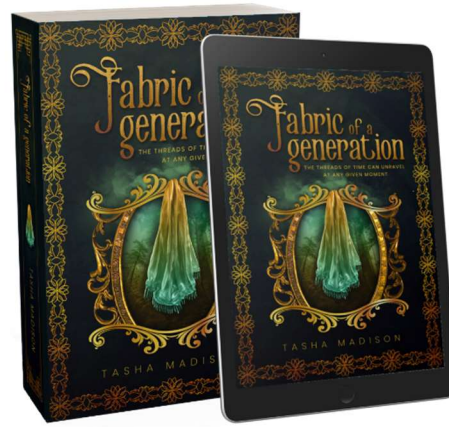
"This book had me hooked from the very beginning. Masterfully written and not just for YA. The time travel twist was superb, and I felt as if I was right there with Miranda the whole time. I highly recommend this book and author!"

"Being a mom of 4 children I loved how this book was so relatable to teenagers but also how I could relate to the parents! Tasha is an amazing storyteller!! Highly recommend!"

"This gift for my nephew will be something he will really enjoy. He will be able to really relate to the characters. Maybe a series could come out of this."

"This book was a wonderful read and helped me to understand my teenage grandchildren even better. Thanks, Tasha Madison for taking this important life transition and showing us all what an adventure it can be."

"FABRIC OF A GENERATION is a YA book that enthralls even the adult reader of fantasy. The Protagonist is her own person yet has the depth of 'any teen.' Her painful personal problems and coping mechanisms provide a positive and hopeful forward journey. The reader is consistently cheering for the Protagonist to prevail. Evocative, credible detail. A satisfying read from every perspective. Will look for more books from this author."



Interview Questions

1. How did you come up with the title?
2. In 60 seconds, what is *Fabric of a Generation* about?
3. What are some of the common themes in your book?
4. The book reveals the often troubled path of adolescence ... built around family, faith, and friends. Tell us more.
5. What makes your book different from others in the YA genre?
6. You wove multiple historical periods throughout your book. Why did you choose to set your story in more than one location?
7. Tell us more about the main character, Miranda. Why did you write the book from a female teen's perspective?
8. What can readers hope to learn from this book?
9. What was the most challenging part of writing this book?
10. What's next for you as an author?

Connect with the Author



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She is a Huntsville, Alabama transplant from Seattle, Washington. She loves all things Jane Austen. She is also a sucker for Shakespeare and Sherlock Holmes.

As a communications professional with over 15 years of experience, she has been a desktop publisher (back when Adobe InDesign was PageMaker ... ahem ...), a journalist, and a copy editor.

Nowadays, when she's not scrapbooking or competing in epicurean competitions with family members, you can find her jotting down story ideas or writing poetry.

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